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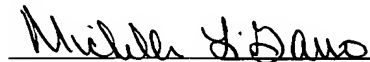
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RESPONSE

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 1, 2007 the Applicants, through their attorney, respond as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are shown in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.